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TRANSPORTATION OF MEDICAL IMAGES ON A COMMUNICATION  
NETWORK

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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

Applicants respond to the Office Action dated April 18, 2008, as follows:

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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